

JAMES L. ROBINSON, )  
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Plaintiff, )  
)  
v. ) CASE NO. 1:19-CV-39-WKW  
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JOHN HAMM, *et al.*, )  
)  
Defendants. )

Before the court is Plaintiff's notice of appeal, which contains a motion for leave to appeal *in forma pauperis* and a motion for a certificate of appealability. (Doc. # 136.)

It is therefore ORDERED that Plaintiff's motion for leave to appeal *in forma*

*pauperis* (Doc. # 136) is DENIED. Based on the foregoing, Plaintiff is required, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915, to pay the requisite \$505.00 fee for filing his notice of appeal.

It is further ORDERED that, because a certificate of appealability is not required to appeal a final judgment in a 42 U.S.C. § 1983 action, Plaintiff's motion for a certificate of appealability (Doc. # 136) is DENIED as moot.

DONE this 24th day of February, 2022.

/s/ W. Keith Watkins  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE